

EXHIBIT 9(c)

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Re: Fed. R. Civ. P. 11 Issues Raised by Your Filing "Debtors Thirteenth Omnibus
Objection to 2,938 Unauthorized Claims Filed by the Law Firm Speights & Runyan"

WR Grace Bankruptcy – Delaware Bankruptcy Court #01-01139(JKF)
Our File Reference: 21816

Dear Mr. Bernick and Ms. McFarland:

I attach page 821 of the Schedule F you filed on behalf of Grace. It clearly shows that Pacific Freeholds claims were in "open litigation" and that the attorney of record was listed as Daniel Speights care of Speights and Runyan. My firm was also counsel of record and actively litigating the matter when Grace filed bankruptcy.

Thus, the assertion in your motion and in your letter of August 10 that you cannot determine whether Mr. Speights was authorized to file this claim is demonstrably false.

I repeat my demand that you withdraw your request to dismiss the Pacific Freeholds claim.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS J. BRANDI